

**ATTACHMENT A**

License to do business in the State of Illinois

State of Illinois  
Office of  
The Secretary of State

Whereas, APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY TO TRANSACT  
BUSINESS IN THIS STATE OF  
SEMPRA ENERGY SOLUTIONS (INC.)  
INCORPORATED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA HAS BEEN  
FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE AS PROVIDED BY THE  
BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT OF ILLINOIS, IN FORCE JULY 1, A.D. 1984.

Now Therefore, I, Jesse White, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby issue this certificate and attach hereto a copy of the Application of the aforesaid corporation.

In Testimony Whereof, I hereto set my hand and cause to be  
affixed the Great Seal of the State of Illinois,  
at the City of Springfield, this 8TH  
day of AUGUST A.D. 2000 and of  
the Independence of the United States the two  
hundred and 25TH .



*Jesse White*

Secretary of State